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# **DANIELS DEPENDABLE NURSERY PLANTS**



**THE DANIELS NURSERY**  
Franc P. Daniels , Proprietor  
**LONG LAKE MINNESOTA**

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**FRANC P. DANIELS,**  
Proprietor

IT IS A PLEASURE TO SEND YOU OUR NEWEST CATALOG. I hope that you will study it with care for I know that you will find it of value.

In it are described the leading standard varieties of fruit and ornamental plants for the Northwest, and in addition, many of the newer and better varieties that have been originated at the great Minnesota State Fruit Breeding farm. It is impossible to over-emphasize the tremendous importance of these new Minnesota creations. They are indispensable to the home and commercial grower alike. Any planter who does not use them is not making the best of his opportunities and is missing many of the finer things life holds in store for him.

This past season has again proven the great merit of these varieties and growers who have them are most out-spoken in their praises. They are spreading into other states and fast taking their place among the most important varieties.

I want to thank our old customers for the patronage they have given us in the past. Their continued business together with the many testimonials we receive yearly is abundant proof that we have satisfied them. To those who place their first order with us this year, I assure the same degree of satisfaction.

I depend upon the merits of our stock and the service we give to maintain and increase our business. That I have succeeded is clearly shown by the fact that each season's business is far greater than that of the previous year. This great and continued increase is due to our policy of furnishing well-grown hardy stock, true to name, of the best varieties available for the Northwest, sold direct at truly planters' prices, under a "Satisfied Customer" policy.

Another factor that has contributed greatly to the remarkable growth of our business, is that I personally stand back of every sale and do not consider the transaction closed until the purchaser is satisfied. I will see to it that you are pleased with your dealings with us.

And we are here to give service. I want our plants to continue to do their best in your hands. At any time you are welcome to our help in your planning, planting, or growing problems. Your inquiries will receive our prompt and careful attention.

Planting season will soon be here, plans should be completed soon and orders sent in early. We both benefit; you in financial saving, and in better choice of varieties,—for some of the newest and best things are always sold out early,—and we in being able to get the office work done before the big spring rush. So order early. Why not now?

I want your order, not only this spring, but in years to come and I am glad to at all times let the quality of our plants and our service decide whether or not you will purchase from us in the future; I am confident that you will.

Respectfully yours,

FRANC P. DANIELS, Proprietor.

N. B. I am printing my picture above, not because I am proud of it, but because most people like to know what the man they are dealing with looks like.

*Introducing a New Member of the Firm*

## Little DANNY DO-IT

*The Horticultural Hustler*

DANNY SAYS:

*I may be a mere shadow of a man but I sure know the "dope" on horticultural problems. Keep your eye on me. My tips are well worth watching.*



# Pointed Paragraphs for Prospective Purchasers

**ABOUT OUR VARIETIES.** Our list of varieties is strictly up to date. We have chosen them purely on their merits,—because they have proven themselves to be the best varieties in existence for our rigorous Northwest climate. We have discarded older varieties of less merit. Our varieties bear the official stamp of approval of the highest HORTICULTURAL AUTHORITIES of the STATE and the NORTHWEST.

**ABOUT THE MINNESOTA STATE FRUIT BREEDING FARM VARIETIES.** The new horticultural wonders developed at our state fruit breeding farm are rapidly changing the fruit growing industry in the Northwest. As a group they are probably the most remarkable collection of fruit varieties that has been introduced in many years; possibly in all times. They have driven out of the state and adjoining territory the bugaboo of "Poor Climatic Conditions," and steadily advanced the frontier of fruit growing until gardens and orchards in all parts of Minnesota can now produce fruits of the highest quality and have opened up new fields of commercial fruit growing with heretofore undreamt of possibilities for profit. It is difficult for any one who has not grown these varieties to fully appreciate how truly remarkable they really are.

**ABOUT OUR PLANTS.** We make every effort to produce plants of the highest quality and to so handle and pack them that they will reach the customer in 100% perfect condition. We have a wide variety of soil types and can select the one best suited to each nursery crop. All stock is carefully graded and individuals not up to our high standard are discarded. Our grades are large and the individuals strong, well-rooted specimens, sure to grow. Please do not confuse our stock with the cheap so-called mail order grades offered by so many concerns.

**ABOUT OUR PRICES.** We put **QUALITY** above price. A poor plant is dear at any price. Plants lower priced than ours may be purchased. It is our firm belief, however, that they will prove more expensive in the end. We have put our prices as low as is consistent with the cost of producing strictly first class stock and of maintaining a service and guarantee that protects our customers. And higher priced plants may be bought too. But the fact that they are higher priced does not necessarily make them any better than ours. The difference in price is usually explainable by less economical production, including greater overhead, less economical distribution, or desire for greater margin of profit.

**ABOUT THE TIME TO PLANT.** Plant early. Perhaps no single item is of greater importance in successful planting of nursery stock than careful early planting. Although the tops may not show any active growth during the cool weather of early spring, root activity is taking place and the plant is preparing itself for strong later growth. We will be glad to give our customers suggestions about

planting time and can ship stock to reach them just when it should be set out.

**ABOUT SPECIAL QUOTATIONS ON LARGE QUANTITIES.** Write us for special prices on large orders. Be sure to state the number and grade of each variety wanted.

**ABOUT VARIETIES WE DO NOT LIST.** We are growing for our large local trade many varieties of fruits and ornamentals which are not listed in this catalog, because of our small stock of each. If you want something you do not see listed, write us. The chances are that we have it and can save you money on it too.



**DANNY SAYS:**

*No matter what grade or size of tree you order from us, you will get a good one—one which will please you and grow well for you.*

**DANNY SAYS:**



*A pruning knife may save its life. Always prune off some of the wood ( $\frac{1}{4}$  to  $\frac{1}{2}$ ) on all deciduous shrubs and trees at planting time. Better cut too much than too little.*



**DANNY SAYS:**

*When you receive your plants, soak the roots in muddy water. If you are not going to plant immediately "heel them in," burying the roots in moist soil, firm well, water, and then shade them.*





## The New Minnesota Plums

### Producers of Pleasure and Profit

Unquestionably the most important horticultural development of recent years in the Northwest has been the breeding of a new race of hardy plums by the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm. They are truly wonderful fruits and undoubtedly worth far more to the state and the Northwest than the total cost of the Fruit Breeding Farm. They are of tremendous importance to both the home gardener and the commercial grower, for their many points of merit make them vastly superior to the older varieties of plums for all types of growers. In quality they are second to none and when properly tree-ripened, here in the Middlewest, are a far more delicious dessert fruit than the shipped-in western plums, which are picked and packed while green. Many of the varieties have large fruits, the equal of any California plums in size and market qualities.

These wonderful new varieties should in no way be confused with the older sorts that have been grown in the Northwest previously. The new ones bear every year. They start bearing at an early age,—often the year after planting,—and produce tremendous crops. These plums have already proven conclusively that they are to be one of our most profitable fruit crops in Minnesota and adjoining states. Many trees have already shown an average annual fruit production of over \$10.00 each, and with 100 to 160 trees per acre the possibilities for profit are tremendous.

It is possible with these varieties to have approximately two months continuous plum fruit, fresh from the trees, starting with extra early varieties, like the Radisson and La Crescent, and running through to the extra late ones like Winona. The season of ripening in each variety is indicated in our variety descriptions given in this catalog.

The importance of this new group of fruits as a market crop is so well established that the formation of a state wide marketing organization for the fruit has already been started, insuring easy marketing at highest prices for the commercial grower.

We have, this season, an excellent stock of these varieties in trees of the type you will enjoy planting, with good strong roots and large tops for the grade,—trees of the type that will furnish a safe foundation for a highly profitable orchard. We list them at surprisingly low prices considering the scarcity of these varieties and the high quality of our stock.

### Prices of Daniels Quality Plum Trees

(All varieties except Radisson)

|   | 1      | 12      | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|---------|
| Extra Large (2 year ready to fruit).....  | \$1.25 | \$12.50 | \$90.00 |
| Large (4½ to 6 feet) .....  | 1.00   | 10.00   | 78.00   |
| Standard (3½ to 5 feet) .....   | .90    | 9.00    | 65.00   |
| Medium (3 to 4 feet) .....  | .80    | 8.00    | 55.00   |
| Parcel post size, vigorous, small trees, 65c each postp'd; \$6.50 per 12 postp'd. |        |         |         |

#### DANNY SAYS:



*The new Minnesota Plums start in to work early—often when only two years old—and they work hard every year, and to a ripe old age.*

## Underwood

### The One Best All-Round Plum

Underwood is probably the one best variety of the new Minnesota Plums for general growing, both in the home orchard and in the commercial planting. The fruit is large, of an attractive red color, with a firm, juicy, golden yellow flesh. The small stone is semi-free. The fruit ripens over a long period and hangs well onto the tree. The season is early, usually commencing late in July and giving about two weeks of picking. The earliness of the season coupled with the fact that it is one of the hardiest of the new hybrids makes it especially valuable in the northern latitudes.

Underwood was first fruited at the State Fruit Breeding Farm in 1916, and has been successfully fruited for eleven years in all parts of the North-

west. It has done notably well at several points in North Dakota, at Winnipeg, and Dauphin, Manitoba. The trees are hardy, vigorous, healthy, long-lived, and highly productive of fruits of large size. Professor W. H. Alderman, of the Department of Horticulture, at the University of Minnesota, in describing Underwood says:—"Its rich red, satin-like skin of the well-ripened fruit arrests the eye and tempts the palate."

Because of its size, color, productivity, quality and earliness, Underwood has been one of the most profitable plums in our commercial orchards. This past season, a season of bountiful production and low prices on ordinary varieties, practically our entire crop of Underwoods was marketed in half bushel crates at \$5.00 to \$6.00 per bushel. Underwood is second to none for either home or commercial plantings.



Underwood

## Tonka

### The Earliest, Heaviest Producer

Tonka is considered one of the best plums yet produced, particularly where early returns are desired. Our Tonka trees usually bear some fruit the year after planting with a large crop the following season. This year in the Nursery Row a number of our two year Tonkas bore several fruits. Its popularity is well deserved for it combines happily nearly all of the good characteristics desired in a home or market fruit. In describing this variety Professor W. H. Alderman of the University Farm says:—"The large, round, attractively colored fruits are not only firm-fleshed and excellent shippers, but are marked by delicious quality as well."

The fruit is large and an attractive bright red color. The pit is small and being entirely freestone is removed easily, an excellent point in canning. The flavor is sweet and the quality good. The tree is hardy, of medium size, vigorous and one of the heaviest and most reliable producers known. Tonka is a good home orchard Plum, but especially outstanding as a commercial fruit because of its splendid keeping and shipping qualities and because of its very regular, heavy production. Midseason.



Tonka

## Red Wing

### Surpassing Size, Appearance and Quality

One of the largest of the new Plums and a most excellent variety for both home and market use. It is outstanding because of its unusually large, fine-appearing, deep, bright red fruits of high quality, with both pit and skin that are easily removable. The skin may be peeled off and the flesh sliced and eaten with cream and sugar as a peach. The trees are sturdy growers with large leaves and luxuriant foliage. They are hardy in all parts of Minnesota and have fruited successfully in Winnipeg. The trees are heavy, regular producers and have been widely tested throughout the Northwest for over ten years. No home or commercial planting is complete without Red Wing. Midseason.

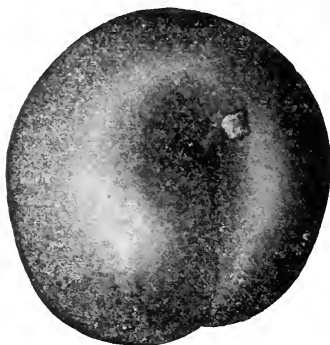


Red Wing (Photo by Univ. Minn.)



DANNY SAYS:

The early bird may catch the worm but no worms for our early plums—they catch the dollars. Plant Radisson and Underwood for early season profits.



Radisson

## Radisson

### Large, Luscious, Lucrative

Radisson was first introduced as Minnesota No. 157 and has been loudly heralded as the most outstanding of the new Plums yet introduced. It lays claim to this distinction because of its extreme earliness, ripening ahead of any other Plums now recommended for growing in Minnesota, because of its large, attractive fruits and because of its extremely high quality. The tree is a moderate grower of upright, spreading habit and medium size. Sufficiently hardy to be planted in all parts of the state. The fruit is large, rich attractive red in color, sweet and with quality of the highest, easily ranking with La Crescent, the highest quality plum yet produced by the State Fruit Breeding Farm and having

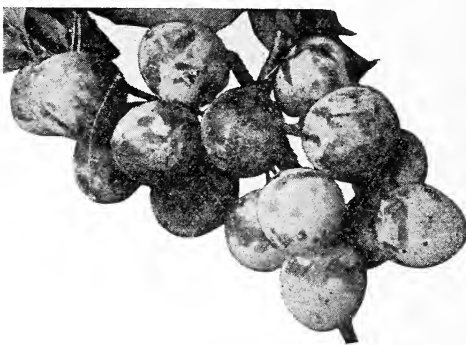
the added advantage of being adapted to market handling. The season is very early and the fruit matures well at one time. Coming as it does even before Underwood it will command the highest market price. Radisson is an essential part of all home or commercial plantings. Early.

**PRICES for Radisson:** Standard size trees \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per 12; \$80.00 per 100. Mail order size trees, 75c each, postpaid; \$7.50 per 12 postpaid.

## Monitor

### Quality and Size We've Sighed For

Monitor is easily the most valuable of all Plums ripening in late midseason. A regular, reliable, heavy yielder that always pays big profits. It produces a large beautifully formed tree of upright spreading growth, is very vigorous, and entirely hardy. It produces heavy crops of fruits which are large to very large in size and a dull but rich bronzed red color, conspicuously covered with russet spots and fine irregular lines. The quality is very good. Clingstone. A fine tree, a fine fruit, a fine seller! Late midseason.



Monitor

(Photo by U. of M.)



Elliot

## Elliot

### Large, Late-Season Sensation

The best of the late Plums for general market or home orchard planting. This variety has been fruited for sixteen years so that its merits are thoroly proven and tested. The fruit is large and an attractive bright, clear, rich red in color. The flavor is pleasant and the quality very good. The pit is free or nearly so. The fruit stands up well after harvest, an important market point. The tree is a vigorous grower of moderate size, very hardy and a heavy, regular producer. No home or commercial planting is complete without Elliot. Late.



### DANNY SAYS:

*Are we plum crazy? Only in so far that we are crazy about the new Minnesota Plums. You will be, too, when you know them.*





Mendota

## Mendota

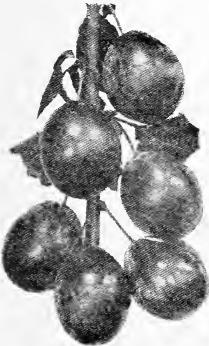
In describing Mendota Professor W. H. Alderman says that it is doubtful if another variety can be produced in Minnesota which would equal the Mendota in size of fruit. The tree is of only medium vigor and size, but highly productive. The large fruits are colored a bright attractive red and have a sweet, pleasant flavor with good quality. Freestone. Where fruits of extremely large size and good quality and appearance are wanted in late midseason, Mendota is a variety of great value. Late midseason.

## Winona

Winona is the latest of the Plums and the quality ranks among the finest. The fruit is not as large as some of the others, but it is a good market size. The color is a light red. It is not

as bright as some of the varieties, but this is lost sight of when one samples the tender, juicy, fine-grained, yellow flesh of deliciously sweet flavor. Clingstone. The tree is a large, a vigorous grower and a heavy producer. Hardy in most parts of the state and a valuable home or commercial variety. The one outstanding objection to Winona is its susceptibility to Brown Rot. This, however, may be controlled by proper spraying. Late.

## Hennepin



Hennepin

Valuable because of its distinct and attractive dark purplish appearance. The fruit is of medium size, quality fair to good, and especially valuable for canning and preserving on account of the rich, purplish-red flesh. Semi-free. The tree is of medium size, a vigorous grower and a heavy, regular producer, entirely hardy. Hennepin should replace the old Sapa Cherry Plum for its quality is better, the fruit is larger, the tree is a larger, longer-lived, heavier producer, and the flesh and juice have the same attractive color that has made Sapa popular in spite of its many shortcomings. Early.

## La Crescent

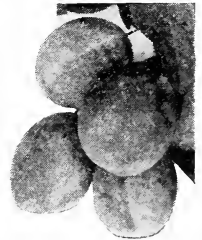
La Crescent has the most delicious flavor of all the Plums yet produced at the State Breeding Farm. It is essentially a home garden Plum, as its skin and flesh are too tender for market handling, but for home use it is unsurpassed for either dessert or culinary purposes. The fruit is medium or smaller in size and a delicate, clear, yellow, with a faint blush. The flesh is yellow, juicy, but tender and melting, suggestive of apricots. The quality of the highest, stone small and free. The season is a few days earlier than Underwood and of shorter duration. The tree is large, vigorous, moderately productive, and hardy in all but the most northern parts of Minnesota. Especially fine for home orchards. Early.

## GOLDEN ROD

The Northwest's largest yellow Plum of merit. Attractive yellow color and firm enough for market handling. It is only fair in dessert quality and of importance primarily as a cooking plum where shipping and keeping qualities are important. Clingstone. Exceeds all other varieties except Touka in keeping after harvest. The tree is very vigorous, large and hardy in all parts of Minnesota except the extreme north. Late.

## MOUND

Mound is a very heavy, regular bearer, ranking well with Touka in this respect. The fruits are large, of an attractive red color, firm and good shippers, keep well after picking, but are only fair in quality. Semi-free-stone. The tree is vigorous, medium size, hardy and very productive. Late midseason.



La Crescent

## WACONIA

Waconia is a variety that holds much promise as a commercial sort and undoubtedly deserves more attention than it has received. The fruit is large, a dark, glistening red in color with a waxy finish, and firm enough to stand shipping nicely. The quality is not of the highest, but it is satisfactory for both culinary and dessert uses. Clingstone. The tree is a large, vigorous grower, hardy and highly productive in all parts of the state. The attractive appearance and large size of the fruit command attention on the market, which fact coupled with its heavy productivity makes it an important commercial variety. Midseason.



### DANNY SAYS:

*Most of the new Minnesota Plums are a cross between the Japanese and the Americana Plums. They get their hardiness and fruitfulness from the Americanas and their high quality and regularity of bearing from the Japanese Plums.*



Zumbra Cherry

(Photo by Univ. of Minn.)

## Cherries for the Northwest

At last we can grow cherries in the Northwest. For years fruit growers have longed for a cherry sufficiently hardy to stand our trying Northwest conditions. Thanks to the scientific plant breeding work of the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm, we now have three varieties of cherries, sufficiently hardy for the Northwest, which are regular heavy bearers of fruit of highly satisfactory quality.

These cherries really come in the cherry-plum hybrid class, but because their flesh and other characteristics are so out-standingly cherry, they are commonly called such. The Nicollet is newest of the Fruit Breeding Farm's introductions, and is most nearly a real cherry. Wherever it has been seen, it has aroused favorable comment

and all who are familiar with it want it for their home plantings. Our stock of Nicollet is grown from propagating wood originally obtained direct from the Fruit Breeding Farm, and is absolutely true to name. When you get a Nicollet tree from us, you can be absolutely sure that is the new Nicollet that you want.

Because of their characteristic habit of growth, these cherries, especially the Zumbra, should be headed low, and we have made a practice of this in our nursery rows. We have large commercial plantings of these cherries in our bearing orchards, and know from our own experience, as well as from that of others, how important this matter is. These low-headed trees will prove infinitely more satisfactory than some of the high headed trees being sold by nurseries who do not fully understand the growth and bearing habits of these new hybrids.

## Zumbra, A "Corker" for Cooking

This remarkable cherry hybrid was the first cherry to be introduced by the Fruit Breeding Farm. It contains the blood of the sweet cherry, sand cherry, and wild pin cherry. The quality is good, and it has a flavor and crispness of flesh resembling its sweet cherry parent. It is especially fine for sauce, preserves, salad and pie, for when cooked the sweet cherry flavor is brought out markedly. The demand for Zumbra fruits always has been strong, for once the buyers learn of Zumbra's remarkable qualities when cooked they are anxious for more. The tree is low growing, of a decidedly dwarf type, is a vigorous grower and extremely productive. The fruit reaches an inch in diameter, is borne in thick rope-like clusters, is dark in color, nearly black when ripe, and the flesh is firm, greenish and sometimes tinged with red when fully matured. The stone is small and entirely free. Zumbra bears at a very early age, nearly always blooming the year after planting. Our "First Size" trees often bloom the same year they are planted. It is exceedingly hardy, having been fruited successfully as far north into Canada as Winnipeg. Zumbra blooms late in the season and should have another late bloomer for most successful pollination. Nicollet makes an ideal pollinizer for Zumbra, and vice versa.

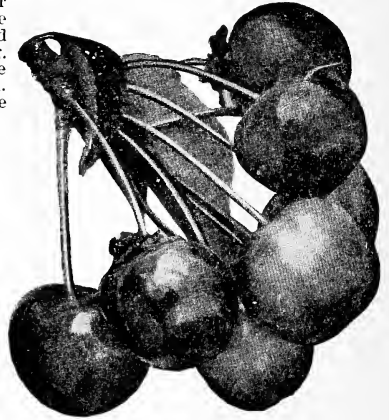
### PRICES FOR ZUMBRA CHERRY

|                                      | 1      | 12      | 100     |
|--------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| First size .....                     | \$1.00 | \$10.00 | \$75.00 |
| Second size .....                    | .90    | 9.00    | 65.00   |
| Third size .....                     | .80    | 8.00    | 55.00   |
| Mail order size, 65c each, postpaid. |        |         |         |

## St. Anthony

### The "Royal Purple" of Cooking Cherries

The St. Anthony is somewhat similar to the Sapa, but is more attractively colored, and seems to be a far better and longer-lived tree. It is especially fine for culinary purposes and the cooked fruit is equal or superior to that of Sapa, having a rich, purplish-red color and delightful flavor. The St. Anthony produces a vigorous tree, half-way in size between the Plums and the dwarf Zumbra and Nicollet Cherry trees. The fruit is of good size for a cherry Hybrid, purplish red in color with a dark rich red juicy flesh of fine grain, and tender texture. Stone semi-free. St. Anthony is easily the best small sized purple fleshed fruit of the Cherry-plum crosses. Midseason. Prices for St. Anthony same as for Zumbra.



Nicollet Cherry

### DANNY SAYS:



Zumbra and Nicollet Cherries should be planted near each other for most satisfactory pollination.

## Nicollet

### Oh Boy! A Real Cherry

Probably the most valuable of any of the Cherry-Plum Hybrids produced by the Minnesota State Breeding Farm. In describing this valuable variety Professor W. H. Alderman says:—"Nicollet is the nearest approach to the

true sour cherry that has been produced at the Minnesota Station. The small red fruits closely approximate the cherry in size, color, and general appearance. The pit is typically cherrylike and may be readily squeezed from the flesh. The flavor and quality are such that the fruit may be used for sauce or pies and be almost indistinguishable from the sour cherry."

The tree is a dwarf, bush-like, hardy sort and finely branched. The fruit is typically sour cherry in size and form. The color is a dull cherry red with a greenish yellow flesh truly cherrylike in flavor and texture. Quality good. Stone small, cherry-like and free. It is desirable to plant Zumbra near it for pollination. Nicollet should be grown in all home gardens or commercial plantings for it is a heavy producer of attractive fruits which are the equal of any sour cherry for cooking purposes.

#### PRICES FOR NICOLLET.

|                   | 1      | 12      | 100      |
|-------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| First Size .....  | \$1.50 | \$15.00 | \$110.00 |
| Second Size ..... | 1.25   | 12.50   | 90.00    |
| Third Size .....  | 1.00   | 10.00   | 80.00    |

Mail order size, 75c each, postpaid; \$7.50 per 12, postpaid.



#### DANNY SAYS:

*\$1,500.00 is a lot to pay for one tree but Daniels Red Duchess was well worth it.*

## Apples

The Thinking Man is Planting Apples Now. Popular opinion to the contrary, there probably has never been a time in the history of Minnesota and the Northwest, when the outlook was more

favorable for the planting of a commercial apple orchard, if the proper varieties are used. The two factors chiefly contributing to this favorable situation are first, the tremendous decrease in the number of trees both of a bearing and non-bearing age in the past decade (a decrease of over 23 per cent in bearing, and 45 per cent in non-bearing trees), and second, the advent of new varieties which will make apple production in the Northwest more profitable than it has ever been heretofore. Our trees of these new varieties and of the old standard ones, are well-grown with strong root and top and are strictly true to name. They will make a dependable foundation for a highly profitable orchard.

## Daniels Red Duchess

### The Most Profitable Early Red Apple

The Daniels Red Duchess was first brought to public attention in 1917 by Dr. M. J. Dorsey of Illinois, who was at that time in charge of the fruit breeding work at the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm. In that year he published an article in the "American Journal of Heredity" describing this remarkable variety as a probable bud sport of the Duchess of Oldenburg. Since that time Daniels Red Duchess has been under the observation of the members of the staff of the Division of Horticulture at the University of Minnesota, and is now being tested in over 20 experiment stations in different parts of the country. Wherever shown, it has met with instant recognition as a variety surpassing other early red apples in commercial possibilities. Four years ago we purchased the original tree and all existing propagating wood of this variety for \$1,500.00.

The Daniels Red Duchess has all the good qualities of the old Duchess of Oldenburg, including its hardiness and heavy regular bearing habits. In addition it possesses that all important price commanding quality of high red color. There is no other known early red apple of proven worth which possesses the high points of merit that Daniels Red Duchess does.

The high red color of this apple sells it readily on the early market at a premium of 50c to \$1.00 a bushel above other apples of the same season. Furthermore, it sells on sight, and can be moved quickly, at a profit, even when the market is loaded with ordinary apples.

Read what two of the leading horticulturists of the country have to say regarding Daniels Red Duchess:

Professor W. H. Alderman, Chief of Division of Horticulture, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.: "It is unquestionably the most highly colored sport of the Duchess of Oldenburg known to be in existence. . . I can see no reason why commercial growers should continue to plant Duchess when the new sport is available in quantity to supply the demand."

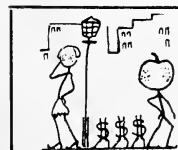
Professor J. K. Shaw, Pomologist, Massachusetts Agricultural College, Amherst, Mass.: "This is certainly greatly superior to the ordinary Duchess in color."

At this time Daniels Red Duchess may be secured only from us. Our stock is limited and as we are

certain to be sold out early in the season orders should be placed promptly. We offer two year whips and lightly branched trees.

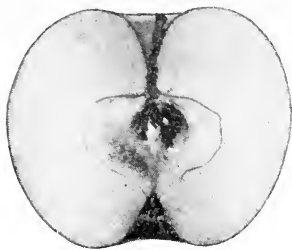
#### PRICES

\$2.50 each; \$25.00 per 12;  
\$175.00 per 100.



#### DANNY SAYS:

*Color on the cheek makes a hit on the street, and color on the cheek of the early apple not only makes a hit on the market but brings home the dollars. Grow Daniels Red Duchess.*

**Haralson**

(Photo by Univ. of Minn.)

tree until picked. The fruit is an attractive red in color and very good in quality. Entirely hardy. No home or commercial orchard is complete without Haralson. Season January to April.

**PRICES:**

|                       | 1      | 12      | 100      |
|-----------------------|--------|---------|----------|
| 2 year Branched ..... | \$1.75 | \$17.50 | \$135.00 |
| 1 year Whip .....     | 1.25   | 12.50   | 90.00    |
| Mail Order Size ..... | .75    | 7.50    | Postpaid |

## Haralson

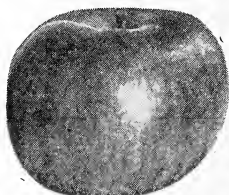
### Red—Hardy—A Keeper

At last we have a real winter apple for the Northwest. Haralson is Minnesota's only hardy, high quality, red, winter, eating apple that will keep until late spring in ordinary storage. It has been correctly called the Northwest's best winter apple.

The tree is an up-right grower with a strong, wide angle crotch and branching system. It is a vigorous tree, very productive and resistant to Fire Blight. The fruit is about the size of Wealthy, is borne at an early age and hangs onto the tree until picked. The fruit is an attractive red in color and very good in quality. Entirely hardy. No home or commercial orchard is complete without Haralson. Season January to April.

## Folwell

Folwell is another product of the State Fruit Breeding Farm, and has been called a fruit of great promise. The tree is of large, vigorous and spreading growth, somewhat similar to Hibernal and has been regularly productive and thoroughly hardy. The fruit is large, with a greenish yellow ground, covered with a heavy bluish. Quality very good. Season similar to Wealthy. 2 year trees. Prices—\$1.25 each; \$12.50 per dozen. Mail order size, 65c postpaid.

**Erickson**

## Erickson

The claim is made for Erickson that it is the largest red apple on exhibition at the Minnesota State Fair during the years that it has been exhibited there. This variety was originated near Aitkin, in northern Minnesota and has shown promise of extreme hardness. It is a vigorous grower, producing a large, strongly branched tree which bears early. The apples are large, bright red and hold well onto the tree. It is of special promise for the northern sections. Season early. 2 year trees. Prices—\$1.25 each; \$12.50 per dozen. Mail order size, 65c postpaid.

## Crab Apples

**Florence Crab.** The best all-around crab for general purposes. That eminent horticultural authority, Professor U. P. Hedrick says: "Florence is remarkable for the beauty and high quality of its fruit and fruitfulness of its trees—desirable in every way as an early crab for either home or market plantations. Blights very little." Prices same as standard apples.

**Transcendent Crab.** A hardy, strong growing tree but subject to blight some seasons. A favorite for pickling. Prices same as standard apples.

**Dolgo Crab.** This crab is an origination of Professor Hansen of South Dakota. It is one of the most attractive of all apple trees, producing beautiful clusters of brilliantly red, oblate apples, scattered among a rather dense foliage of beautiful dark green hue. The apples are borne freely and are suitable for all the uses that are made of crab apples. A very hardy tree and beautiful as a lawn tree. 2 year trees. Prices—\$1.25 each; \$12.50 per dozen. Mail order size, 65c, postpaid.

**DANNY SAYS:**

*Haralson won't blow off. It sticks to the tree till picked.*

"On May 2nd we placed an order with you for 1500 Strawberries and 200 Latham Raspberries, which we received in fine shape about three days after sending the order."—M. N., Milltown, Wis.

"The Latham berry sets as ordered arrived in good condition and are very satisfactory. Thanking you for courtesy and promptness. I am,"—H. A., Rochester, N. Y.



**DANNY SAYS:**

*An apple a day keeps the doctor away. Grow Haralson and have your own apples for every day all winter and spring.*

Prices—85c each; \$8.50 per dozen; \$60.00 per 100.

**Duchess (Oldenburg).** The best known and most generally satisfactory of the old early apples for the Northwest. Our new Daniels Red Duchess is vastly superior to this variety, however, and should be planted in preference to it. Season late August and September.

**Patten Greening.** The best "Greening" for the Northwest. A hardy tree and a heavy regular fruiter. Apples are large and well-formed. An eating or cooking apple. Season, September to December.

**Hibernal.** The hardiest standard apple known. Thrives in all parts of the state, especially valuable as a stock for top-working. Long lived; branches are unusually strong; a heavy annual bearer. Cooking apple. Season, September to November.

**Wealthy.** The best market and most popular home orchard variety in Minnesota. Fruit, medium to large; a beautiful red; flavor unexcelled. The Northwest's one best apple. Eating apple. Season, September to January.

**Northwestern Greening.** A high quality long-keeping greening. Tree is more tender than Patten Greening and should be grown only in favorable locations. Fruit may be kept in ordinary storage as long as any other variety. Eating and cooking apple. Season, November to June.

## Standard Varieties of Apples

We offer this year, the following varieties in well-grown, standard sized trees with large roots and strong two year  $4\frac{1}{2}$  to 6 feet, well branched tops, the best sizes for planting here in the Middle West.



Wealthy

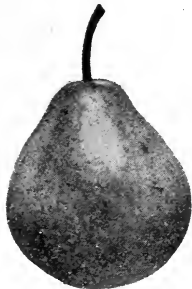
## Pears

### Hardy New Varieties of Promise and Merit

The frontier line of pear growing is rapidly being pushed north and we now have available two varieties for Minnesota and adjacent territory. One is an origination of the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm and has been widely distributed for trial by them, and the other was developed twenty-three years ago in south central Minnesota.

## Minnesota No. 1

### Wonderful New Pear From The State Fruit Breeding Farm



Minnesota No. 1  
(Photo by  
Univ. of Minn.)

This high quality cooking and eating pear has been heralded by horticultural authorities, as being the most promising and most satisfactory pear at present known for growing in Minnesota and adjacent territory. It is especially recommended for the climate of central and southern Minnesota, and is still considered by the State Fruit Breeding Farm to be on trial. Minnesota No. 1 was grown from some seed brought from Manchuria in 1903 and planted at the Fruit Breeding Farm. The tree is a large vigorous free-growing type, but not hardy enough for northern parts of the state. The fruit is medium to large, the flesh tender, almost melting and the quality very good. The color is a yellow overlaid with a distinct blush. Season late September. We offer strong one year trees. Prices—\$1.50 each; \$15.00 per dozen. Mail order size, 75c, postpaid.

## Mendel

### Twenty-Three Years Old and Has not Blighted

Mendel pear was grown from a seed planted twenty-three years ago at New Ulm, Minnesota. The original tree has stood in an exposed place all these years and has shown no winter injury and, although, surrounded by many other pears which blighted badly, has never shown a trace of blight. Trees of this variety have withstood forty-five degrees below zero without injury. The flowers are self-pollinating. The tree is a strong vigorous grower. The fruit hangs well to the tree, is of fine quality and an excellent keeper.

The originator describes the fruit as follows: "The fruits of the Mendel are fully as large as that of the Bartlett Pear. The fruit hangs well to the tree, is of excellent quality, sweet and juicy and keeps well into November." We offer strong 1 year trees. Prices—\$1.50 each; \$15.00 per dozen. Mail order size, 75c, postpaid.

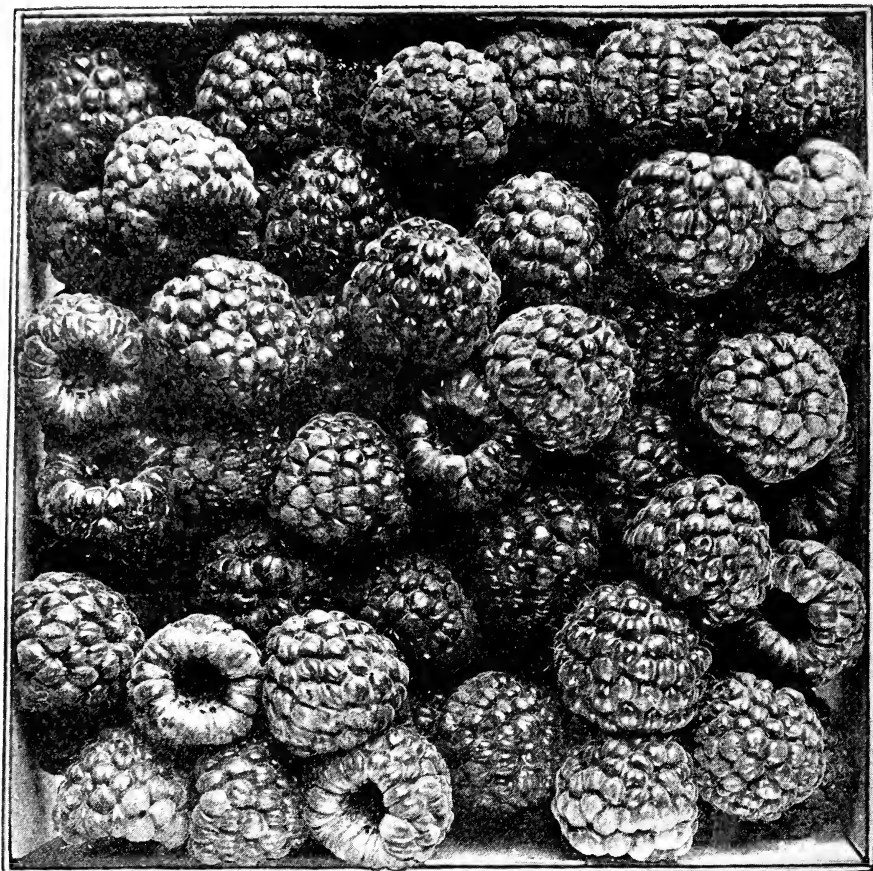


Mendel



**DANNY SAYS:**

*A pair of pears!  
They're "peaches," but  
yet pears. Try them.*



(Photo by Univ. of Minn.)  
Latham Raspberry—(Natural Size)

## Raspberry Mosaic

Mosaic is probably the most serious disease known to small fruit growers. Because of its great importance we are devoting this space to a brief discussion of it. It has been shown conclusively that the chief cause of the so-called "running out" of raspberries is mosaic. "Running out" is simply another name for the condition found in many raspberry fields where there is a continual falling off in production and vigor of the canes until the growth becomes so weak and spindly, and the berries so small, so crumbly and so few that there is neither profit nor satisfaction in growing them.

On the other hand, fields of raspberry plants which contain little or no Mosaic, called "Mosaic Free" plants, produce vastly better than the diseased plants at the start and maintain their heavy, vigorous growth and tremendous production of firm, large, quality berries for many years. Many plantations of this type of stock have produced more than \$1,000 per acre. The successful grower of the future will plant nothing but "Mosaic Free" plants as a field of this stock which is once established may be maintained in a vigorous high-producing state and may be made to produce tremendous profits for a long period of years. This disease is prevalent practically everywhere in old fields.

All of the stock we offer for sale this year has been carefully inspected at frequent intervals throughout the past two years by our State Nursery Inspectors and any trace of the disease removed.

Therefore purchasers of our raspberry stock this year may rest assured that they will be getting as healthy and disease-free plants as can be produced. Furthermore, our raspberry plants are on new land so that we have been able to develop unusually fine, strong, well-branched rooting systems,—plants filled with health, vigor and pep,—plants which will furnish the foundation of a raspberry patch that should be lastingly profitable.

### DANNY SAYS:

*Raspberry plants that are not Mosaic Free are in the discard. We'll have nothing to do with them—nor will any planter who knows "What's what."*



It is a matter of poor economy for anyone to plant plants that are in any way inferior to Daniels strong, vigorous, "Mosaic Free" raspberry plants.



### DANNY SAYS:

*Send the boys and girls to college with fruit dollars, earned themselves. They can do it, if you but give them a chance. An acre or two of berries, grapes, or plums, can fulfill many a parent's dream of college for his children.*

## The Latham Raspberry

("MOSAIC FREE")

### "The Country's Greatest Red"

This valuable origination of the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm, first introduced as "Minnesota No. 4," has met with phenomenal success not only in Minnesota but in other sections of the country from coast to coast. Recent comparative tests in Connecticut showed it to be far superior in that state to any of their other varieties. It is rapidly replacing older varieties in most sections of the East as well as in the Middle West. In Minnesota it is the one outstanding home and commercial variety. Latham is entirely hardy in the Northwest without winter protection. The vigorous, strong canes are well able to support the enormous loads of fruit this variety produces. The berries are very large, easily picked, an attractive bright red in color, and of high quality and produced in great abundance. Preliminary commercial canning tests show that Latham is of unusual value for this purpose, even surpassing the Cuthbert. On many markets it is bringing a premium of from 50c to \$1.00 per crate above other varieties. As are other commercial varieties, Latham is subject to Mosaic disease, but it has shown greater ability than most varieties to maintain strong vigor and high productivity after infection. When kept free from disease it is second to none in vigor and productive capacity.

The supply of "Mosaic Free" Latham plants is somewhat limited this year and undoubtedly there will be a real shortage before the planting season is well started. We suggest placing your order for Latham as early as possible. Prices—\$1.50 per 12; \$2.50 per 25; \$7.50 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000. By mail add 15c per 100 or fraction thereof.



King

## King Red Raspberry

("Mosaic Free")

### Scoops the Early Season Profits!

There is no better early Red Raspberry than the King, and with our "Mosaic Free" plants it is possible to obtain profits from King approximating those from Latham. As King comes a week or more earlier than Latham, it makes an ideal berry to grow in connection with the latter, commanding the high

prices of the early season, and distributing the picking and marketing over a longer period. Our "Mosaic Free" King plants must not be confused with the ordinary King so commonly grown, which is usually so seriously infested with Mosaic disease, and as a result a scant producer of poor berries. Our "Mosaic Free" King will produce tremendous crops of large berries of high color and quality. They will command the highest prices of the early raspberry season. Prices—\$1.00 per 12; \$1.75 per 25; \$5.00 per 100; \$40.00 per 1000. By mail add 15c per 100 or fraction thereof.

"I wish to tell you that every one of the 17 Apple trees sent to D. H. H. this spring grew."—B. H., Litchfield, Minn.

"I thank you very much for your prompt reply to my letter and the liberal amount sent. I certainly will have something good to say for your nursery for your prompt action and again thanking you."—W. S. B., Minneapolis, Minn.

"Those plum and apple trees I bought from you are doing fine. Am well pleased with them. I wish to thank you for the courtesy you have shown me in this deal."—J. N. R., Hastings, Minn.

"The everbearing strawberries and raspberries and plum trees are doing just fine."—Mrs. A. S., Constance, Minn.

### DANNY SAYS:

*These bulletins should help you in your horticultural problems:*

*Minnesota Special Bulletin No. 57, Pruning the Apple.*

*Minnesota Special Bulletin No. 72, Modern Strawberry Growing.*

*Minnesota Special Bulletin No. 79, Modern Bush Fruit Growing.*

*Minnesota Circular No. 13, Pruning the Grape.*

*Minnesota Bulletin No. 230, New Fruits Produced at the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm.*

*These may be obtained free for the asking by writing to Division of Publications, University Farm, St. Paul, Minn.*



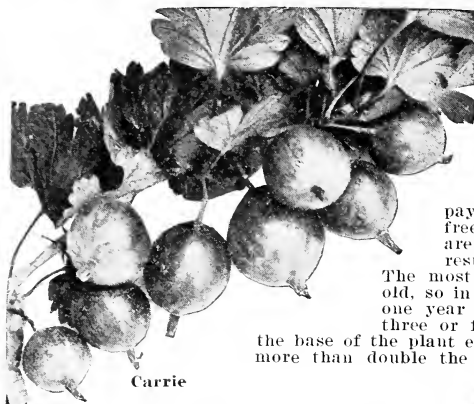


## Gooseberries and Currants

### Perpetually Productive

No class of fruits will produce so freely under absolute neglect as these. On the other hand, no group of fruits will respond more quickly, produce fruit more abundantly and pay better if given proper care. Good cultivation, freedom from weeds, abundant fertilizing (for they are gross feeders) and pruning will produce startling results in both size of fruit and total production.

The most productive wood is wood less than four years old, so in pruning remove the older canes, cut back strong one year shoots moderately, and remove entirely all but three or four of the strongest shoots that come up from the base of the plant each year. A little attention to these details may more than double the size of the fruit.



Carrie

## Como Gooseberry

### Minnesota's New Wonder

### Gooseberry

(Minnesota No. 43). Described by the originators, the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm, as follows: "A vigorous, productive plant with exceptionally healthy foliage. Fruit roundish or slightly oblong. Ripens green, quality fair, holds on the bushes a long time in good market condition without scalding, even in the hottest weather. The plant is only moderately thorny, many thorns dropping from the 2-year-old wood." The advent of Como marks the greatest advancement made in mid-western gooseberry culture in many years. We are very fortunate to be able to offer a few plants of this remarkable new gooseberry this spring. Prices—50c each; \$5.00 per dozen; \$9.50 per 25.



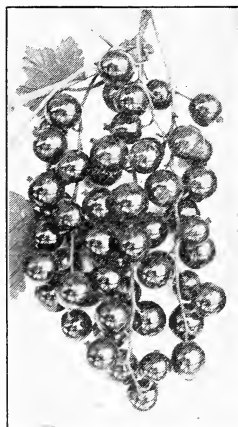
Como

(Photo by Univ. of Minn.)

## Carrie Gooseberry

### "The Thornless Gooseberry"

Carrie has been the most popular gooseberry in Minnesota and adjacent states in the past. The plant is a prolific yielder of good sized berries, which ripen red, and is fully disease resistant. Sometimes called the thornless gooseberry because the thorns are lost from the wood after its first year. A very heavy producer. One of our customers recently told us of getting two twenty-four quart crates from a single plant of Carrie Gooseberries. We offer strong plants ready to fruit next year. Prices—25c each; \$2.50 per 12; \$1.75 per 25; \$18.00 per 100; \$150.00 per 1000.



Perfection

## Perfection Currant

### Supreme in Quality

Perfection is one of the largest and finest of the currants and easily the out-standing one for home use. The fruit is borne in large clusters of uniformly large berries with a long stem so that picking is easy. The berries as described by Professor U. P. Hedrick, "are bright clear red, and are as pleasing in flavor as those of any other variety, and superior to those of most other currants." Won the Barry \$50.00 gold medal of the New York Horticultural Society, the Pan-American Exposition Medal, and the Gold Medal at the St. Louis Exposition of 1904. Prices—35c each; \$3.50 per 12; \$6.50 per 25; \$24.00 per 100; \$210 per 1000.

## Wilder Currant

### For Currant Profits

One of the leading commercial varieties. In some cases a more vigorous grower and heavier yielder than Perfection, although the bunches are not as large as in that variety. Professor U. P. Hedrick describes the fruit of Wilder, as follows: "The fruits are especially handsome, higher in quality and hang longer after ripening than those of any other commercial sort." Prices—20c each; \$2.00 per 12; \$3.75 per 25; \$13.00 per 100; \$100.00 per 1000.

**QUARANTINE NOTICE:**—Because of a new Federal Quarantine this season, we are not shipping currants and gooseberries to points outside of Minnesota.



## The Hardy Grapes

### Perennially Profitable

When we say **hardy** we mean just that. Beta and Alpha are able to withstand our severe northern winters without any protection whether grown as a covering over fences, arbors, or buildings or properly trained, pruned and cultivated for heavy production on trellises in a vineyard. Fully ripened, the hardy grapes may be used for dessert purposes, but their most important use is for jelly and grape juice, for which purposes they are not surpassed by any grape, and are superior even to the wild grape. During recent years they have probably been the most profitable fruit grown in the Northwest. They bear tremendous crops every year, usually starting with a few grapes the year after planting, and producing a heavy crop by the third season. During the last few years they have consistently brought from \$3.00 to \$4.00 per bushel. Many growers report yields of from \$700.00 to \$1,000.00 per acre. No special market is needed for them as they may be sold at profitable prices in all parts of the state, generally right at the vineyard, for once people know where they can be secured they will drive long distances to get them. In fact, there is no community in which a properly established planting of Daniels Hardy Grape Vines will not prove a true mortgage lifter.

### Beta

The "Standard" Hardy Grape. The most widely grown and probably the most profitable grape in the Northwest. A heavy, annual bearer, hardy as the wild grape and producing enormous crops of medium sized blue-black fruit of good quality. It ripens so early that it may be grown in the far north. An essential part of every home garden and wonderfully profitable as a commercial grape. The demand is greater than the supply and increasing every year. Financially Beta is a permanent investment that will prove lastingly and highly profitable. **Prices**—Strong 2 year plants, 35c each; \$3.50 per 12; \$6.50 per 25; \$24.00 per 100; \$216.00 per 1600. Mail order size, \$2.50 per 12, postpaid.

Beta



Alpha

### Alpha

A more recent production than Beta and preferred to it by many of those who have grown it. Originated near St. Cloud, Minnesota. Equal to Beta in hardiness and yield. The introducers of Alpha claim for it a much higher quality than that of Beta. It is worthy of extensive cultivation. **Prices**—Strong 2 year plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per 12; \$7.50 per 25; \$27.50 per 100; \$250.00 per 1000. Mail order size \$3.00 per 12, post paid.



Concord

### Concord

Of the Tender Grapes we are growing only the Concord, the most generally satisfactory of the tender grapes. A vigorous grower and a heavy producer of good quality fruit which is far superior to the hardy grapes in size and flavor. Concord is a standard grape everywhere. We offer only strong two-year vines. **Prices**—Strong two year plants, 30c each; \$3.00 per 12; \$3.50 per 25; \$20.00 per 100; \$185.00 per 1000. Mail order size, \$2.00 per 12, postpaid.

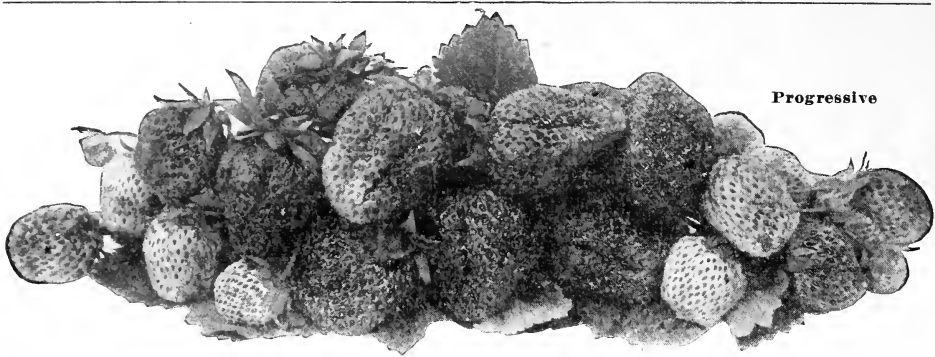
## The Tender Grapes

The Tender Grapes require winter protection in most parts of Minnesota, but most home gardeners and many commercial growers are willing to do this because of the higher dessert quality of the fruits obtained.

#### DANNY SAYS:



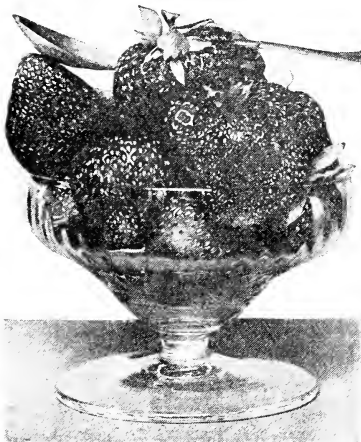
*Speaking of profit pullers. Nothing can beat the Beta or Alpha Grapes. They grow anywhere and can be marketed right at home at large profits.*



Progressive

## Strawberries

This year we offer a limited stock of well-grown plants of the outstanding varieties of June-bearing and Everbearing strawberries now available for the Northwest. Due to extremely unfavorable growing conditions last season, our stock of plants is smaller than usual and we have been forced to withdraw from our catalog for this year some of the varieties we have listed previously, due to our scant stock of them. The plants that we are offering for sale are well-grown plants from a soil adapted to developing heavy, fibrous roots and strong crowns. Our hardy northern grown plants which can reach our customers within a few hours after digging will give vastly better results than plants "shipped in" from other states. These "shipped-in" plants almost always suffer greatly from their long journey. Add 10c per 100 if strawberry plants are to go by mail.



Mastodon

first fall crop, the year of planting, is very large and the following spring crop is as heavy as most June berries. Our stock of Mastodon is limited, so order promptly. Prices—\$3.00 per 25; \$8.00 per 100.

### Dunlap

Midseason. Dunlap needs no introduction as it is the best known and most widely grown strawberry in the northern and eastern half of the United States. It is an equally good market or home garden berry, well adapted to all types of soils. Prices—80c per 25; \$1.50 per 100; \$11.00 per 1000.

### Minnehaha

(Minnesota No. 935). Late. With us and with many other growers, Minnehaha has been the most profitable June-bearing strawberry, especially valuable as a shipper. Minnehaha is at its best just after the heaviest picking season for other varieties when other good berries are scarce and prices for good fruit are going up again. The fruit is extra large, easy to pick, firm, even in wet weather and will keep in good picking condition on the vines for three or four days. Hold their size well to the end of the season. Plant Minnehaha heavily for shipping market. Prices—80c per 25; \$1.50 per 100; \$11.00 per 1000.

### Progressive (Everbearing)

The one best Everbearing for general use, being adapted to all types of soils. Prolific and high quality, yields two crops each year. Plants set this spring should bear this summer and fall. The Universal Strawberry — does well everywhere and needed everywhere. Prices—\$1.00 per 25; \$2.50 per 100; \$20.00 per 1000.

### Duluth (Everbearing)

Duluth was first produced as Minnesota No. 1017, by the State Fruit Breeding Farm. It is especially adapted to the northern part of the state, to heavy soils and to peat or muck soils, is a vigorous grower and yields a heavy crop of attractive, dark red berries in the spring as well as in the fall. It is a good canner. The berries average much larger in size than Progressive, but are not as well adapted to all types of soils. Prices—\$1.25 per 25; \$3.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000.

### Mastodon (Everbearing)

So called because it is a veritable Mastodon in size. Considered by many the most promising everbearer yet produced. The berries are large, attractive, of fine quality, and good market berries. Plants strong, vigorous. Produce runners better than most everbearing varieties. The



Minnehaha

(Photo by Univ. of Minn.)

## Asparagus

Asparagus furnishes the earliest and most cherished of garden greens. It may be used from early spring until late June. Once properly established an asparagus bed will last for many years and is an essential part of every home garden.

## Washington

This Giant Asparagus is the result of fourteen years of plant breeding by the United States Department of Agriculture in an effort to develop a rust-resistant asparagus, surpassing all other varieties in yield and quality. It is one of the most palatable and tender varieties known, producing enormous shoots of a brilliant dark green color which retain their tenderness and do not branch until well above cutting height. It has proved itself to be a tremendous producer and best of all it is entirely free from rust. This year we offer only three year transplanted roots of Washington, large heavy roots which are ready to bear and may be cut from heavily, the spring after planting,—the ideal type of root for the small home garden where quick results are wanted. Prices—3 year roots, \$2.00 per 12; \$3.50 per 25; \$10.00 per 100. By mail add 20c per 12.

## Mary Washington

Mary Washington is a later production of the United States Department of Agriculture, bred from the Washington. It possesses all of the former's good qualities but in addition has the characteristics of even higher quality and greater productivity. Until you have grown Mary Washington in your own garden or commercial bed you have not known what real asparagus is.....Prices—1 year roots, 75c per 12; \$1.00 per 25; \$2.50 per 100; \$18.00 per 1000; 2 year roots, \$1.00 per 12; \$1.50 per 25; \$4.00 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000. By mail add 20c per 100.

## Rhubarb

The most all around satisfactory vegetable. Year after year from early spring until late fall, fresh stems may be pulled and in winter time the roots may be forced in the cellar. Pie plant or Wine Plant, as it is sometimes called, may be used for pies, sauces, and satisfying beverages.

## Victoria

Victoria is probably the most widely grown and most popular kind of Rhubarb. We offer strong root division plants from stock selected thru a period of years by a market gardener for especially high quality and fine red coloring of the stem. These strong division plants that will produce uniformly tender, crisp stalks of an attractive, red color should not be confused with the low quality seedling roots so commonly offered by some nurseries. Prices—Each, 15c; \$1.50 per 12; \$3.00 per 25; \$10.00 per 100; \$70.00 per 1000. By mail add 25c per 12. Large producing clumps—50c each; \$4.00 per 12. Clumps go by express only.

"I will give you the name of one of my neighbors who expressed a wish that he would like to have one after seeing the trees I bought from you two years ago.

"Plums, cherries and grapes I bought from you all lived and have made wonderful growth."—V. S., Wirt, Minnesota.

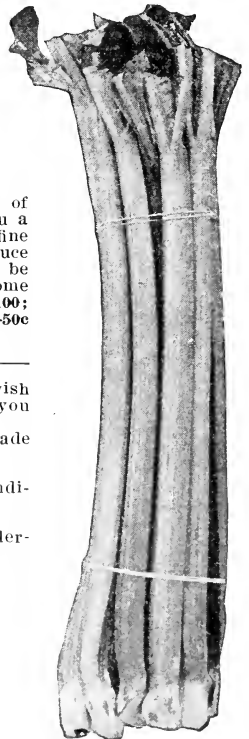
"I am well pleased with the plants. They reached me in splendid condition and are doing nicely."—R. C. F., Kelliher, Minn.

"Your shipment came through in good shape and the stock was wonderful."—J. W. S., Mankato, Minn.



*DANNY SAYS:*

*You may pay more for your trees and plants but you can't buy better ones than Daniels Quality Stock.*



Victoria

## Hardy Perennials

We list below the most satisfactory of perennial flowers for the Northwest. By most satisfactory we mean those which offer a happy combination of hardiness, strong vigorous growth, attractiveness of bloom, long blooming period, suitability to bouquet purposes and freedom from special training or cultural practices. Once established they will be a source of regular annual delight as they will flower abundantly for many years to come. We offer strong plants which should make a heavy growth and bloom freely the year of planting. Prices — 25c each; \$1.00 for 5; \$2.00 per 12; \$3.50 per 25. By mail add 15c per 12.

### ACHILLEA the PEARL

A strong growing, free blooming plant about 18 to 24 inches high. Blooms white, double and cover the plant.

### BUTTERCUP

A most attractive, bright yellow bloom closely resembling Pompon Chrysanthemum. Starts blooming early in the spring and continues for a long period, blooms in great profusion, an "old-fashioned" flower, but one which still deserves heavy planting.

### CHINESE LANTERN

This interesting perennial is extremely popular now for winter bouquet effects. In late summer or



Golden Glow

fall it produces long spikes bearing from 3 to a dozen bright red lanterns which when dried retain their form and color and may be used with strikingly attractive effects all winter long. They are being quite generally sold in florist shops, retailing at 10c per lantern. They are easily grown and furnish a welcome source of income if the lanterns are sold, or an abundant supply of bouquets for gifts and decoration purposes. We make a special price on Chinese Lantern Plants in 100 and 500 lots for Lantern production purposes. Write us.

### FALL DAISY (Pyrethrum)

This "giant daisy" grows from 4 to 6 feet tall and is covered with large three inch yellow-centered white flowers from July to September.



Iris

### GAILLARDIA (Blanket Flower)

Blooms freely all summer, flowers large and daisy-like but of beautiful crimson and orange color. Fine for continuous cutting. Height 18 inches.

### GOLDEN GLOW (Rudbeckia)

Grows and thrives everywhere. Six feet tall, bearing large, double yellow flowers from July to September. Fine for cut flowers.

### HOLLYHOCK

A garden perennial without a peer. Unequalled for brilliant towering spike effects in the border, whether in a separate bed or worked into a border. Strong plants of mixed colors.



Hollyhock

### IRIS (Liberty)

Iris still leads in popularity among the early spring blooms. We offer highly improved named varieties in white, yellow and blue. Order by color.

### DANNY SAYS:

Let us spray!

Careful spraying means perfect fruit and healthy foliage. It is not hard to do, either. These spray mixtures will do the business:

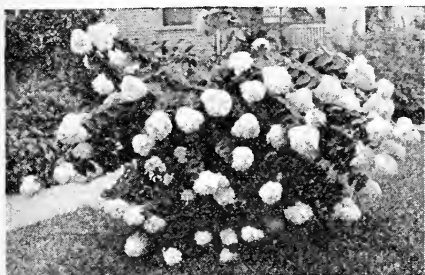
For Biting Insects: 1½ lbs. of Arsenate of lead to 50 gallons of water.

For Sucking Insects: ½ pt. of Nicotine Sulphate (tobacco extract) to 50 gallons of water.

For Fungus Diseases: 5 qts. of liquid or 4 lbs. of dry Lime Sulphur to 50 gallons of water.

For smaller quantities use the same proportions. Any of the above materials may be mixed together and applied at one time.





Hydrangea Pee Gee

**BARBERRY** (Thunberg's or Japanese), 2 to 3 ft.—A beautiful dwarf shrub, free from rust. The green foliage turns to a rich crimson in fall. Masses of bright, scarlet berries hang from the twigs through fall and winter. **Prices—18 to 24 inch plants, 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.**

**BLACKTHORN**, 15 to 20 inches—A hardy, vigorous, attractive shrub that may be trimmed to any height. Profusely borne clusters of black berries hang on into winter. **Prices—40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.**

**CARAGANA** (Siberian Pea Tree), 10 to 12 ft.—The bright yellow, pea-shaped blossoms of June are followed by miniature pea-pods. Foliage attractive and deeply cut. Is hardy in the most trying locations.

**CORAL BERRY** (Indian Currant), 3 to 5 ft.—A desirable shrub for shady places. The inconspicuous rose colored flowers of June and July are followed in the fall by dull red coral-like berries which cling in great profusion along the branches. A very attractive, berried shrub.

**RED TWIG DOGWOOD**, 6 to 8 ft.—Strong-growing, attractive shrub, especially noted for the bright red bark of its twigs and branches, which are most attractive during winter and as they increase in brilliance of color in late winter and early spring. Pruning out the old wood to encourage new growth increases the brilliance of color.

**TARTARIAN HONEYSUCKLE** — Blooms in June. The fragrant pink or white blossoms are followed by bright colored berries. Hardy and a vigorous grower.

**HYDRANGEA** (Pee Gee), 4 to 5 ft.—Blossoms from August to frost. The enormous, showy blossoms last well. Blooms the first year, and succeeds everywhere. **Prices—18 to 24 inch plants, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen.**

**LILAC** (Purple or White), 10 to 15 ft.—Well known wherever shrubs are used. An early spring bloomer. Excellent for heavy screen or hedge. Universally successful.



Barberry Hedge

**THUNBERG'S BARBERRY**—Best dwarf hedge. Attractive and effective. Strong hedging size: **\$6.00 for 25; \$20.00 per 100.**

## Hardy Shrubs

We offer here a choice list of selected, hardy, ornamental shrubs. We consider these varieties the cream of those suited to the Northwest for they are all hardy, vigorous growers which need no petting nor special protection to make a good growth and to produce the effect that is desired. Our plants are well-grown with good tops and roots, especially fine plants for our low prices. They are 2 to 3 feet or more in height, except in the case of dwarf varieties where the height is noted; with strong well-developed roots and bushy tops. **Prices—50c each; \$5.00 per dozen, except as noted below. By mail add 10c each; 60c per 12.**

**MOCK ORANGE** (Syringa), 8 to 10 ft.—Sweet scented, waxy, orange-like blooms, borne profusely in June. Always satisfactory where an attractive, large shrub is wanted.

**SNOWBERRY**, 4 to 5 ft.—A very attractive medium growing shrub which does well in shady locations. The leaves are dark green and slender giving the appearance of a very neat, delicately formed shrub. The small pink blossoms of mid-summer are followed by clusters of attractive, milk-white berries which hang on the plant well thru the winter.

**SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER**, 1½ ft.—Blooms continuously most of the summer. Flowers dark crimson. Unexcelled for edging and for use in front of taller shrubs. 18 to 24 inch plants.

**SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI** (Bridal Wreath), 5 to 7 ft.—Blooms in June. Too well known to need description. The Northwest's most used, most adaptable and probably most valuable shrub. **Prices—10c each; \$1.00 per dozen.**



Spirea Van Houttei

"Yours received. The extra trees came by express today and they have been set out already. I fully appreciate your generosity and promptness."—S. G. L., St. Paul, Minn.

## Hedging Shrubs

### Living, Lasting Fences

In this group we offer a small size of plants suitable for starting "live fences." These are good well-rooted plants which will give quick results. Write for prices on other shrubs in hedging sizes.

**BLACKTHORN**—Best sheared low hedge, or free growing tall hedge. May be trained from 18 inches to 18 feet. Strong hedging size: **\$3.50 per 25; \$12.00 per 100.**



Hansa

**HANSA (Deep red).**—The large double flowers of this variety have an attractive violet tinge. The plants are vigorous growers and profuse bloomers.

**SIR THOMAS LIPTON (Snowy White).**—The medium sized double, pure white blooms are borne in clusters on strong stems. Attractive leathery dark green foliage.

## Rugosa Rose Hybrids

### Beautiful, Hardy Roses For All of Us

This remarkable race of roses is the best for general growing throughout the Northwest, as they are not only perpetual bloomers, most attractive in appearance of bloom, foliage and hips, and highly fragrant, but are thoroly hardy without winter protection throughout Minnesota and the Dakotas. The beautiful double blossoms are vastly superior to those of the old single Rugosa Roses. They usually require no spraying. We are growing the three outstanding varieties for this part of the country. **Prices**—90c each; \$9.00 per dozen; 1 each of the 3 varieties for only \$2.50.

**CONRAD F. MEYER (Silver Pink).**—A large double, showy bloom, strongly fragrant. Large strong stems.

## Newport Foliage Plum

### Striking Splash of Red

A beautifully colored Plum tree, valuable for landscape work because of its highly colored purplish red foliage. The color persists throughout the entire year, and is especially emphasized as the brightly colored new tips, which push out during the season, are contrasted against the duller hue of the mature foliage. Newport is an upright growing tree and attains a height of twelve to fifteen feet. It is strikingly beautiful, ornamental tree at all times, but especially so in bloom. The fruit is small, rich magenta red in color, but is of little or no value beyond its ornamental effect. Easily the best red foliage tree for the Northwest, for it provides a happy combination of a color note that is both striking and pleasing, with the hardiness necessary for Minnesota. **Prices**—Large, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen. Mail order size 75c each, postpaid.

## Norway Spruce

Cannot be surpassed as an easily grown evergreen. Most people want an evergreen which requires little attention.

The Norway Spruce fills the bill in this respect and is an object of continuous delight varying in color and appearance as the summer progresses, and being particularly attractive when covered with snow in the winter. May be pruned for a hedge if desired. An ideal tree for group and windbreak planting and excellently adapted to specimen and ornamental use. Successful in all parts of Minnesota and adjacent territory.



Norway Spruce



Butternut

| Prices:—             | 1      | 12      | 100     |
|----------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| 12 to 18 inches..... | \$0.75 | \$ 7.50 | \$50.00 |
| 18 to 24 inches..... | 1.00   | 10.00   | 65.00   |
| 24 to 36 inches..... | 1.25   | 12.50   | 80.00   |

## Butternut

A rapidly growing attractive native tree which produces nuts early and in great profusion. The thick meated nuts are of high quality and may be stored for winter and spring use. May be used as a lawn tree and is admirably adapted to planting in groves or in wood lots. Write for prices on large quantities. **Price**—1½ to 3 ft., 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen; 3 to 4 ft., 40c each; \$4.00 per dozen.

## Dahlia

Unrivalled for showy flower effects in late summer and fall. Easy to grow. Roots should be stored in the cellar over winter. We offer a fine mixture of colors with large showy blooms. **Each, 15c; \$1.50 per dozen; 6 for \$1.00, postpaid.**



Dahlia

### DANNY SAYS:



*Our mail order size trees are little fellows but full of life and pep, on their toes, and ready to go for you.*

### REPRESENTATIVES WANTED

We need a special representative in every community to aid us in introducing our stock and in stimulating our nursery sales in that territory, and offer a very attractive proposition to responsible persons who would like to devote part of their time to helping us in a way that is both pleasant and profitable.

**CAPITALIZE THAT SEASONAL SPARE TIME!**







**DANNY SAYS:**

*Beware of bargain counter stock. The cost of stock is a small item in the mature fruiting patch—but it is the most important single item. Play safe! Plant Daniels Dependable Stock.*

## Instructions for Ordering

**WHEN TO ORDER.** As early as possible. "First come, first served." is the rule. Early ordering is a big help to us, and frequently late orders cannot be filled in full. For the last six years we have been sold out on some items before the end of the season. Send your order now. It will be carefully booked and shipped to you at the time you want it.

**SPECIAL PREMIUMS FOR EARLY ORDERING.** It is a great advantage to us to have orders reach us early, as the bulk of our business is crowded into a short period in the spring. This means a heavy load on our office facilities and in order to organize our spring work better we are offering an inducement to encourage our customers to co-operate with us by placing orders early whenever possible. As early orders cut down our expense by spreading work over a longer period, we are offering the following liberal premiums in the form of additional nursery stock for early orders. All orders with full cash payments sent in before the dates indicated will be entitled to a premium of additional nursery stock to the value indicated below:

Orders received prior to February 20th, 1927—10%.

Orders received prior to March 1st, 1927. 8%.

Orders received prior to March 15th, 1927, 6%.

In asking for premium, be sure to specify kind of stock wanted.

**PRICES.** Prices listed in this catalog annual and supersede all prices quoted previously. All prices are F. O. B. Long Lake, Minnesota, except Parcel Post quotations.

**TERMS.** Our business and moderate price schedule have been built on a cash-with order

policy, and we prefer to have your orders accompanied by cash in full. This plan enables us to keep down costs and to maintain low prices. If C. O. D. Shipments are preferred, 20% must accompany the order, balance C. O. D.

**RESERVE ORDERS.** We will reserve stock for those who so desire upon payment of 20% with the order.

**METHOD OF SHIPPING.** Express is safest and generally the best way to ship plants. Express orders are sent transportation charges collect. Many small orders are now shipped satisfactorily by parcel post. If you desire plants to go by mail, they will be sent postal charges C. O. D., unless proper amounts are added to your remittance to cover postage and special packing. Only small numbers of plants, and no trees larger than 3 to 4 feet, can be sent by mail. The "mail order" size trees are sent post paid at the prices specified in the catalog.

**QUARANTINE.** Because of a new Federal Quarantine this season we are not shipping currants or gooseberries to points outside of Minnesota.

**COMPLAINTS.** Any complaints will be taken care of promptly and satisfactorily. If there is anything wrong, let us know at once, while there is still time to make amends, for we want only satisfied customers.

**REPLACEMENT.** We will replace plants that fail to grow first year at one-half the purchase price, provided that such failure to grow is not due to neglect or improper handling on part of the purchaser. All replacement claims must reach us prior to October first of the fall following planting.

**PLANTING INSTRUCTION GUIDE** sent free at any time.

**OUR GUARANTEE.** We exercise the utmost care in labeling, packing and shipping our plants, and guarantee them to be true to name, and will replace free of charge any which prove to be otherwise. It is understood and mutually agreed between purchaser and ourselves that in no case will we be liable for more than the original cost of the plants. We cannot be held responsible for inability to make delivery because of strikes, fires or acts of Nature, or any other cause beyond our control.

**DANNY SAYS:**

**Write Plainly, Order Early, and Rest Assured That You Will Have the Best Plants That Money Can Buy.**  
Send all orders to

# The Daniels Nursery

## Long Lake, Minnesota



**DANNY SAYS:**

*Few things can so greatly increase a child's interest in home as giving him ownership and care of some fruit and ornamental plantings—the younger for the joy of it; the older for the joy and also for the profit from a small commercial planting—and both for the development of a sense of responsibility.*

## Danny Says:

*in his closing talk:*

# IF



## You Want

- the best of the old standard fruit varieties;*
- the best of the new varieties—those of tested and proven worth—those recommended by the highest Horticultural Authorities;*
- the most dependable, hardest and most useful of the ornamentals;*
- healthy, vigorous, hardy, northern grown stock;*
- stock that is priced fairly and safely—safe for you—at truly Planters' Prices;*
- stock that is true to name;*
- stock that is **DEPENDABLE** in every way;*
- to buy from a nursery that sells on a "Satisfied Customer" policy;*
- to buy from a nurseryman who is also an extensive fruit grower and therefore knows the planter's needs in both variety and type of plant;*
- to buy from a nurseryman that has a reputation for fair dealing;*

*Then order from*

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**Long Lake** **Minnesota**



**DANNY SAYS:**

**I ASK YOU:**

*Which of these yards provides the environment most conducive to the happiest play, keenest joys, and longest to be remembered days? Which will best develop the love of home, love of nature, and love of the beautiful? Which are your children growing up in?*